L. H. J. the real Debt sued for the Ballance recovered exceeds the Lib. 41 sum of ten Pounds Sterling or 200016 of Tobacco the sum of 200th of Tobacco. And that any Attorneys practising in the said Courts that shall refuse to prosecute or defend the Cause of any pson or psons making Application to any Attorney of the said Courts (unless before retained) having the said Fee paid or secured to be paid to him or that shall ask receive or demand in any such Action by any Colour or Pretext whatsoever more than the said Fee shall forfeit and pay the sum of five hundred Pounds of Tobo one half thereof to our Sovereign Lady the Queen for the support of the Government the other half to him or them that will sue for the same to be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plaint or Information &ca And upon Conviction thereof to be suspended his Practice in the said Court for and during one whole year. We are further humbly of Opinion that a Clause relating to the above Premises be added to the Bill for reviving an Act for Officers Fees. Which we humbly refer to your Honours Consideration

Signed p Order Edmd Benson Cl.

Thereupon it is ordered to be thus indorsed Viz.

By the House of Delegates July 3^d 1714.

This Report being read and debated is approved of by this House.

Signed p order Tho. Macnemara Cl. Ho. Del.

Sent up to the Council by M^r Tyler, Col^o Hoskins, Capt. Mariarte Major Woolford Capt. Greenfield and Capt. Colegate.

They return and say they delivered the same

The following Message in Relation to the Election of a Treasurer for the Eastern Shore was prepared to the Honble Council Viz.

By the House of Delegates July 3^d 1714

May it please your Honours

by the Death of Thomas Smithson Esq. late Treasurer there, we out of the great Respect justly due to Robert Ungle Esq. our Speaker from us have Nemine contradicente chose him to supply that Place to which we desire your Honours Concurrence he giving good Security for the due Performance of the same

Signed p order Tho. Macnemara Cl. Ho. Del.